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Applicant's response filed 2/12/07 is not completely responsive to the previous Office action mailed 10/12/06 for the following reasons:

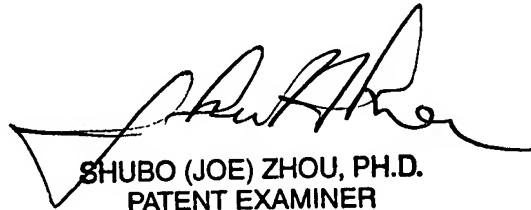
It is explicitly pointed out in the previous Office action that this application contains sequence disclosures that are encompassed by the definitions for nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences set forth in 37 CFR 1.821(a)(1) and (a)(2) but fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821 through 1.825 because a paper copy, a computer readable form of a Sequence Listing containing this sequence, and a statement under 37 CFR 1.821(f) are not provided. See pages 2-3.

In the response filed 2/12/07, however, applicant only filed a paper copy of a sequence listing without filing the computer readable form (CRF) thereof and the statement under 37 CFR 1.821(f).

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Shubo (Joe) Zhou, whose telephone number is 571-272-0724. The examiner can normally be reached Monday-Friday from 8 A.M. to 4 P.M. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ram Shukla, can be reached on 571-272-0735.

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